GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA

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OPENING OF HYDRO ELECTRIC POWER CORPORATION
UTTAMRAO NATHUJI DHIKALE

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the number of offices of National Hydro Electric Power Corporationopened/proposed to be opened in various districts of Maharashtra during the current year, location-wise;

(b) the details of hydro electric projects proposed in Ratnagiri district of Maharashtra;

(c) the progress of the projects; and

(d) the role of the Government of Maharashtra in opening of the said offices?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) : The National Hydro-electric Power Corporation (NHPC) has opened a site officein the Ratnagiri District of Maharashtra during the current year.

(b) : The following three hydro electric schemes located in the Ratnagiri District have been entrusted to NHPC for execution.

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme	Capacity (MW)
1.	Bav HEP Stage-I	18
2.	Bav Stage-II	37
3.	Devade HEP	06

(c) : In so far as Bav Stage-I & II are concerned, expenditure for Stage-I activitiessurvey and investigation would be sanctioned on receipt of site clearance for the Projects from the Ministry of Environment and Forests.

With regard to the Devade HE scheme, survey and investigation for preparation of the Feasibility Report is being carried out.

(d) : The site office has been opened by NHPC on its own initiative.